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Election Looms in Lac la Biche For New School Division Board

arized the Official Trustee, Mr L. G. Hall, to proceed with the election of a Divisional Board to again administer the affairs of the Lac la Biche School Division.

Notice calling for nominations have been forwarded to all the local School District Boards within the division. These will be posted by the local secretaries within a few days.

Each board has also been supplied with nomination forms, so that any person desirous of running as a Divisional Trustee can secure one easily.

Nominations will be received by Secretary-Treasurer, Mr. W. J. Chester at the Divisional Office, Lac La Biche, on Monday, June 18, up to 5 p.m.

No changes in the boundaries of sub-divisions have been made by the department, so that the new board will consist of four members, representing the same area as previously.

KIKINO NEWS NOTES

BIRTHS—Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Bellerose, of Kikino, on May 19, 1951, a son, at home. Mr. and Frs. Marsheil Tremblay, of Kikino, on May 20, 1951, a son, at home.

Mrs. Frank Lightening came home from the hospital, Tuesday, May 22. She is doing fine.

Mr. Louis Ducharme, of Kikino, killed the mother wolf and her six pups a few weeks back.

BREYNAT BRIEFS

Busy days have returned to the country after the rain. People are busy doing spring work. The season is late, but the farmers are hoping to harvest good crops.

Mr. Louis Duperron is owner of a car which he bought from Hector Gerard.

Mr. P. Dubee is owner of a new John Deer tractor, plow and press drill.

Mr. George Gerard bought another Wallace tractor which was brought from Lac La Biche by Steve Zayorc.

Mr. Aubee and his son Roger went on a trip to Plamondon. Unfortunately it rained which delayed them in making an immediate return trip.

Mr. J. E. Primeau is refixing the interior of his store which was slightly damaged by fire April 28.



LIEUT.-COL. Ernest D. Danby of New Westminster, B.C., has been named top staff officer at headquarters of the new Commonwealth division now being established in Korea. Official announcement of new division, first in commonwealth history, brought to a climax a development that has been under negotiaions for months.

FREEDOM FOOTNOTES

Barry Edward Smith is the baby son of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Smith, Jr. (nee Alna Donnelly), born April 13, 1951, weight 6 lbs. 4 ozs.

Erven Rendfleisch and Elvin Meyer are driving something out of the ordinary. They both have what you could call "puddle jumpers," Model T Convertibles, a "boat" or what have you.

Elsie Moltzan had the misfortune of breaking her arm Monday.

Mr. Ed. Donnelly nearly cut his ear off with an axe. With all the stitches put in it is growing together.

Mr. and Mrs. Alf. Dance, of Manitoba, is visiting Alf's father, J. Dance, of Freedom.

Mr. Henry Wiseman is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Oskar Hauch.

Last Monday night many relatives and friends gathered at the Kurt Meye home where a house warming party was held. After the evening's entertainment, Rev. Rehn, of Barrhead, gave a short speech on behalf of everyone.

Elvin Lehman is back in the district.

Relatives and friends gathered at Alva and Joe Smith's, Jr. home to help celebrate Alva's birthday. Those included: Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Donnelly and Donald, Mr. and Mrs. J. Smith, Sr., Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Anderson, Norman and Janet, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Anderson, Kenny and Judy, Elmer and Wayne Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Aino Carlson and Mavis. Lunch was served by Alva.

Lack of trained teachers is causing an educational problem, 200 one-room rural schools in Canada being closed because of no teachers.

ATMORE NEWS BRIEFS

Miss Aileen Boomer, teacher at Charron, spent the week-end with Miss Dorothy Walter who is teaching at Dakin school. They attended the dance at Atmore Saturday night.

Mr. John Ballard celebrated his 91st birthday May 25. Birthday greetings also go to Lee Stanchfield who was six the same day.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Edmonton, from Edmonton spent some time at the Lloyd Dakin's last week. The two wives are sisters.

School was closed Monday. Miss Walter attended the Institute Day at Lac la Biche.

Mr. Carl Bauer has installed propane gas equipment in his store, both for lights and refrigerator.

Miss Margaret Walter from Lacombe is spending the week-end with her sister Dorothy. Margaret is a teacher also.

Mrs. Robert Rhein returned after spending two weeks with her family in Stony Plain.

A few people from Atmore attended the field day at Grassland last week.

FIRE LOSS DROPS

Stricter regulations imposed on brush burning during 1950 by the Department of Lands and Forests resulted in a large decrease in the timber destroyed by forest fires during the year. During 1949, a total of 1,429,183 acres was burnt over but last year the total dropped to 695,542 acres.



CUCKOO CLOCK HOUSE conducts young radio listeners through a half-hour fantacy every Sunday afternoon at 2:30 on the CBC Network. Beth Robinson and Kenny Graham handle the program. Beth is a student at University of Toronto and Kenny is a rising young business man.

FARMER SEEKS DAMAGES, NEIGHBOR FLOODS LAND

LAC LA BICHE. — Eugene G. Cournoyer filed claim at the Edmonton court house for damages amounting to $7,500 against Mr. and Mrs. Albert Van Brabant of the Egg Lake district.

According to Cournoyer, the Van Brabants diverted creek and slough waters onto his farm, rendering 60 acres useless, and in danger of further flooding. An injunction preventing Van Brabants from diverting any more water on his land is also asked by Cournoyer.

The Cournoyer farm is next to the defendant's property and a creek and series of sloughs run through the Van Brabant land.

Farmers Busy In Briereville

BRIEREVILLE — The farmers and tractors in the district have been busy, trying to finish seeding. Some fields are getting green and some are only turning black. Seeding is rather late this year, but farmers are hoping for a bumper crop.

Visitors to the district in the past few weeks are Mrs. F. Latour and family of Edmonton and Miss N. Anderson. They are visiting their parents Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Anderson.

J. Stewart of Three Hills is also in the district, on business.

Mr. N. Thomas of Lac la Biche Mission, the Watkins agent, was in the district lately.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Whitford went to Edmonton last week. Mr. Whitford went to see the doctor and Mrs. Whitford had her glasses changed. Mr. Jim Anderson also went to the city, where he had all his teeth extracted.

Russell Whitford is home for a few weeks.

Mr. Robert Whitford and family are home now after being away for some time. Mr. and Mrs. W. Anderson are also back on the farm.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Liddle announce the birth of a son. Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Whitford have a son also. Both were born in St. Catherine's hospital, Lac la Biche.

The Briereville baseball team attended the tournament in Lac la Biche May 24. Without practice the boys claimed second money. Where can they play in Briereville, as we don't have a ball diamond.

Mr. and Mrs. F. Lamarre have moved from our district.

Mrs. Lamarre is in Edmonton taking medical treatment and perhaps an operation.

H. Thompson has lost his horses, so he'll be delayed in farming.

Mr. Caron has a stone picker now. What a difference than picking them by hand.

Mrs. W. Henderson is employed at Floberts mill near Lac la Biche Mission.

R. Graham has rented E. Blais land and is busy farming.

COMMANDER MANNING INSPECTS LAC LA BICHE SEA CADETS

LAC LA BICHE. — The annual inspection of the Exeter Sea Cadets, Lac la Biche, was held Monday, May 28. Commander G. Manning, captain of H.M.C.S Nonsuch, Edmonton, was the inspecting officer.

Accompanying Commander Manning were Lieut.-Commander S. G. Coombs, Lieut. Jones and Lieut. Short of HMCS Nonsuch, Lieut. R. Edwards, Commanding Officer of the Warrior Sea Cadets of Edmonton, and Mr. A. C. Emery, Chairman of the Northern Alberta Division of the Navy League of Canada and Mr. C. B. Hill, Chairman of the Sea Cadet Committee.

After the cruise a dinner was served at the Sea Cadet Barracks by the members of the Sea Cadet Mother's Club. The party then adjourned to Memorial hall for the inspection of the Cadets. This inspection was one of the best ever held. The boys demonstrated their proficiency in radio telegraphy, seamanship, semaphore signalling, navigation, bends and hitches, squad and rifle drill and physical training. The display thrilled visitors, parents and friends of the Cadets.

In speaking to the boys, Commander Manning said that he could not help but note the progress in the corps since his last visit. After the inspection a dance was held in the Memorial hall and the inspection party returned to Edmonton Tuesday morning. The local Sea Cadet officers in charge of the corps are Lieut. J. E. McCrane, commanding officer, and Lieut. J. Wolstenholm, DCM.



RIVER trout fishermen at Norval, Ont., have been baffled this season by the success of 10-year-old Ronnie McLean, who has, since opening of season, April 28, landed two man-sized brown trout with a split bamboo fly rod with an automatic self-winding reel, contrary to tradition which says angling should be done with a bent stick, piece of string and a pin.

LAC LA BICHE NEWS NOTES

J. Duhamel of the N.A.R. was transferred to Spirit River, Kenneth Proctor to his place here as messenger.

Miss Mary Uganicz was home for a week's holiday.

Mrs. Pruss was in the city recently.

David Langevin went to Waterways where he is employed with McGinnis Fish Co.

Mr. Ryerson and family visited the the Nelson home reecntly.

Barny Arnfinson went to Great Bear Lake Monday to work for the summer. It takes 7½ hours to fly there from Edmonton.

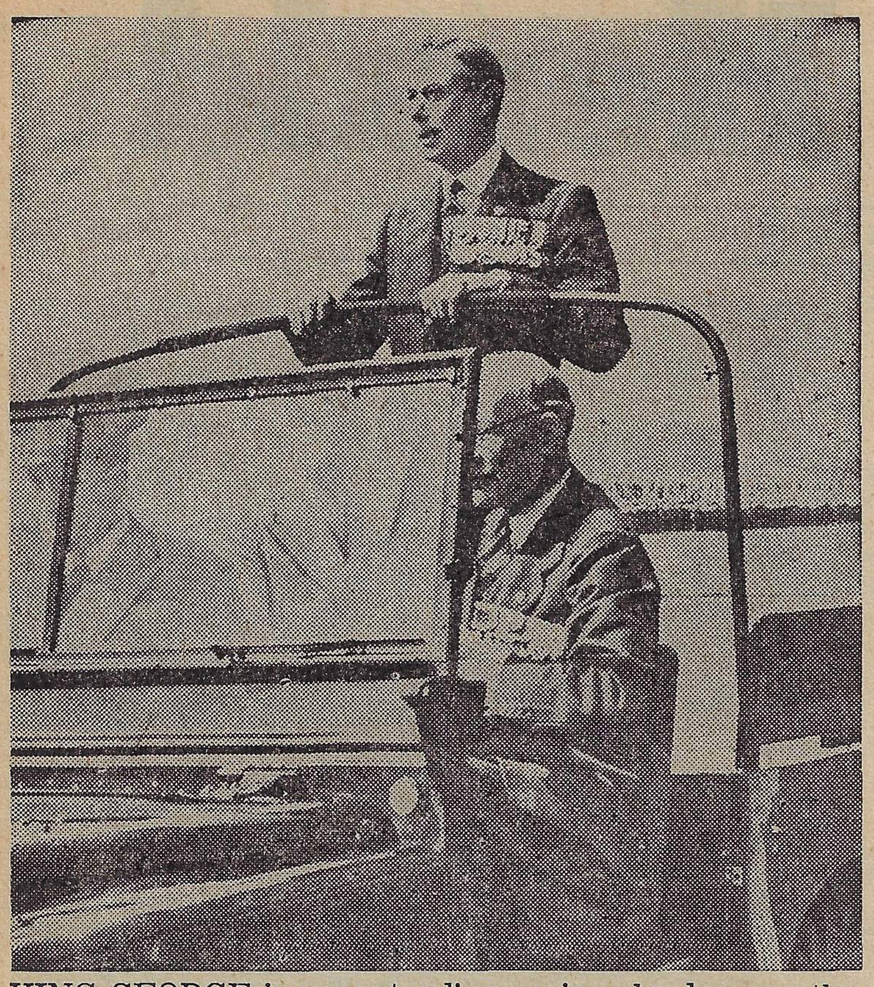
Romeo Courtney has a 1949 Oldsmobile.

Mr. McDade, from Edmonton, was a business visitor here last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Lobay, and Mrs. Steadmen spent a few days in the City last week.

Lawrence Peltier, from Edmonton, visited his parents.

Stanley Miller from B.C., is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Phil Miller.



KING GEORGE is seen standing up in a land rover, the British equivalent of a jeep, as he reviewed the British Legion in Hyde Park, London. It was the first time since World War II that the ex-servicemen's organization has been reviewed by the Monarch.

AFA Committee Promotes Experimental Farm Aid

The Alberta Federation of Agriculture has set up a committee representing different zones and various phases of agriculture served by the Lacombe Experimental Farm.

Committee will act in an advisory capacity and endeavor to form a liason between experimental farms and farms in the area served by them.

Members of the committee are A. C. B. Grenville of Morrin, Pete Wiley of Leduc, Robert Carlyle of Blackfalds, Harold McLaughlin of Spruce Grove, with Roy Marler and James E. McFall of Calgary acting as chairman and secretary respectively.

Mr. Marler, president of the Federation, announced this week that Donald C. Brinton has been appointed director of the Federation's farm radio program.

Mr. Brinton is a native Albertan, having grown up in Vegreville.

The program is heard at 12:20 noon over CFRN Edmonton, and at 12 noon over CFCN, Calgary, Monday through Friday.

The LIGHTER SIDE

MUST HAVE IT REPAIRED

The landlord was quizzing the prospective tenant. "You know," he said, "we keep it very quiet and orderly here. Do you have any children?"

"No."

"A piano, radio, or victrola?"

"No."

"Do you play any musical instruments? Do you have a dog, or a parrot?"

"No, but my fountain pen scratches sometimes."

VOICE OF EXPERIENCE

"My wife always lets me have the last word," exulted the husband of two months.

"Huh!" snorted a reasoned oldtimer; "just wait until you run out of compliments, young feller!"

JUST SEW

Mrs. Jane — Is Mrs. Smith an active member of the Womens' Sewing Club?

Mrs. Sofie — My, no. She never has a word to say. She just sits there and sews.

BE QUIET

The doctor told the film actress that she was run down and needed a change.

"A change," said she, "Do you know that during the last 18 months I've had three husbands, four cars, three jewel robberies, 11 cooks, two divorces, and seven landlords? What other change can you suggest?"

LEARNING FROM GRANNY

A certain grandson of Queen Victoria, when a freshman at Oxford, had spent all of his allowance and, what was worse, gone ten pounds in debt.

He appealed to his royal grandmother, asking her for an advance on future remittances. He didn't get it. Instead, he received a lengthy letter from that austere lady containing some reproof and much, much advice.

In due course the young man replied to this. He had, he said, decided to heed everything his grandmother had to say about conservation and thrift and had, in fact, already begun by selling the original of her letter to a collector for twenty-five pounds.

Response Cool to FUA Delegation to Ottawa

The Central Executive of the F.U.A. met in Edmonton last week. All members were present. Mr. J. E. Phelps, president of the Saskatchewan Farmers' Union, also attended the meeting.

The question of sending a mass delegation of farmers from the three Prairie Provinces to Ottawa to press the demand for a revision of wheat prices was considered at some length. In returns received from various locals in these provinces, so far the majority favor such a course.

However in view of the fact that the majority of locals have not been heard from so far, and that such a delegation would take considerable time to organize and that to be effective, it would have to visit Ottawa before Parliament prorogues, it was decided that a mass delegation should not be sent at present.

It was agreed that a joint delegation comprising several representatives from each of the three Farm Unions shouud be sent to Ottawa at an early date. This delegation will press the Government for action on a number of points, particularly a revision of the price of Canadian wheat, both on the domestic market and under the International Wheat Agreement.

The delegation will also press the demand for a Board of Arbitration or a Royal Commission to consider wheat growers' claims to a further payment on the 5-year pool.

The Alberta representatives on the delegation will be A. R. Hadland and President Henry Young of the Farmers' Union of Alberta.

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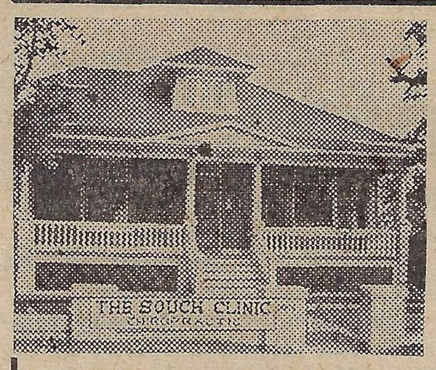
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ALBERTA

A News Section About Alberta People,
Week Ending June 9, 1951

Alberta Town Planners Meet in Calgary For Group's First Regional Conference

Alberta Division of the Community Planning Association of Canada gathered for its first regional conference in Calgary's Palliser Hotel, June 1 and 2.

Movement is a citizen's organization formed in 1947 by civic and municipal officials, architects, engineers and laymen.

It is designed to assist in the planned development of urban Canadian areas.

Guests were welcomed by Mayor Don Mackay of Calgary and C. E. Gerhart, provincial minister of municipal affairs.

Main address of the first day's gatherings was given by Noel Dant, Edmonton town planner, who spoke on "Town Planning Techniques."

Other addresses included talks by Humphrey Carver on "Planning Surveys," Harry Jackson on "Planning Activities in Vancouver," and MacDonald Millard on "Alberta Highways."

Mr. Gerhart spoke on the concluding day of the conference, and Professor H. P. Oberlander talked on "Regional Planning," after which bylaws were adopted and officers elected.

Chairmen of the sessions were L. Plotkin, regional planner, Edmonton; R. R. Gillespie, city commissioner, Red Deer; R. F. Lawrence, secretary - treasurer of Springbank Municipality; and G. M. Brown, Calgary, Alberta councillor of the Community Planning Association of Canada.

ALBERTA TO IMPROVE ROADS

Nearly 1,000 miles of main highway work will be done by the provincial government this year. This will be financed by $13,500,000 provided for this purpose of the recent session of the legislature.

Here is the program:

	Miles
New asphalt hard surfacing ..	243
Seal coating (asphalt)	220
Grading and gravelling	402
Completing 1950 program	127
Total	990

In addition, the province expects to spend $2,000,000 as its share of costs on construction of the Trans-Canada highway in Alberta.

Further, the 1951-52 estimate provided $1,500,000 for bridge construction on capital account.

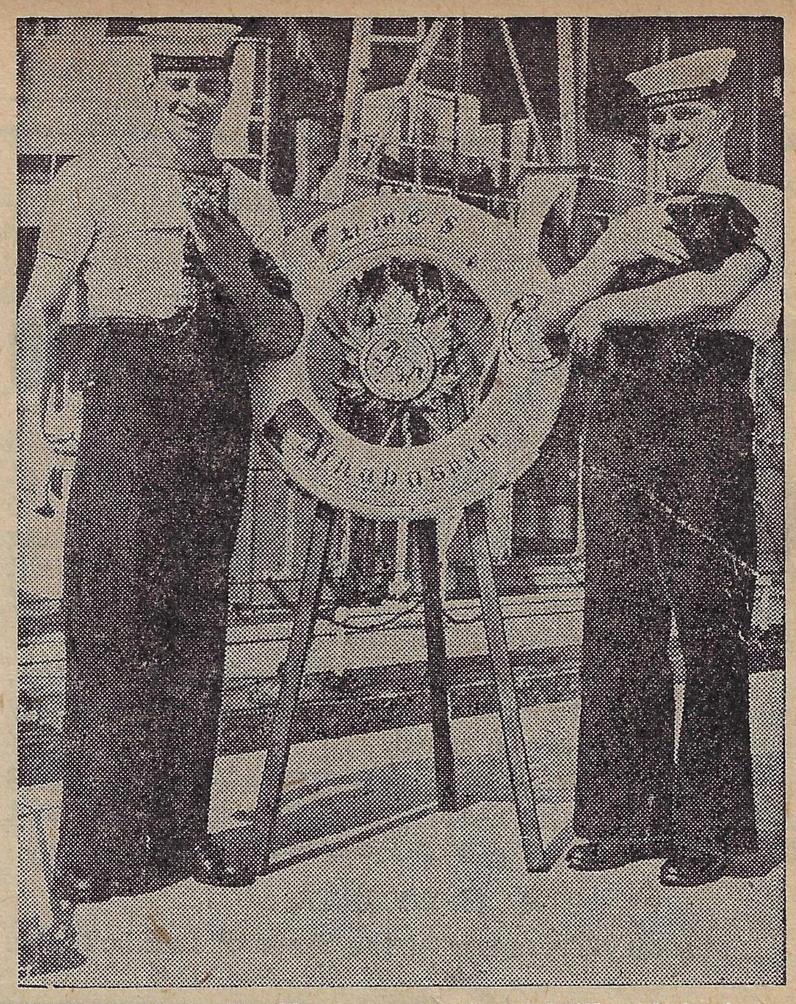
NORTH CUT-OFF

This year's program provides for construction of 40 miles of the new 100 mile cut-off road from Whitecourt to Valleyview in the Peace River country, providing the north with a new outlet. Standard earth grade and gravelling will be carried out for 20 miles at each end of the project.

Around the Edmonton area, 230 miles of work will be done in the current season, including 88 miles of hard surfacing, 127 miles of seal coat, 91 miles of earth grading and gravelling and 56 miles of completion of last year's program.

Around Calgary, 193 miles of work is planned, to include 63 miles of hard surfacing, 18 miles of seal coating, 100 miles of earth grading and gravelling and 25 miles to complete the 1950 program.

The nickname of Arkansas is the "Wonder State".



ALBERTAN A. B. Clarence Little of Millet, left, is seen posing with David Buick of Vernon, B.C., aboard HMCS Athabaskan with their ship's mascots. Photo was taken shortly before destroyer returned to home base at Esquimalt, B.C., after having spent 10 months in Far East.

Native of India Chooses Alberta as Adopted Land

An Alberta man who can look back on a life of success in his adopted land is 68-year-old Sam Singh of Calahoo, a native of India

A former wrestler and member of the Indian Army, Mr. Sing owns and operates the E. I. Quality Store in Calahoo. The E. I. stands for East Indian.

Calahoo is 25 miles northwest of Edmonton.

Mr. Singh, whose Indian name was Sohaningh, came to Canada in 1911, and settled in Victoria. There he was manager of a Hindu-language newspaper, Sansar, (The World), until it ceased publication in 1914.

BECAME CHRISTIAN

In 1916 he became a Christian, shaved off his beard and was baptized.

Married in 1927, he has five daughters and two sons.

Two of his daughters are married, and he has one grand-daughter.

One of his sons works in an Edmonton garage, the other is still in school.

Two of his daughters have been working as cream tasters in an Edmonton dairy. A third is due to graduate in commercial art this month.

A robust, healthy man, Mr. Singh is liked and respected by his neighbors in the Calahoo district.

Trans-Pacific Mail Quicker Than Alta Post Office Service

CALGARY, Alta. — (BUP) — Norman H. Miller received a letter that took longer to travel from Calgary post office to his home than it did to reach the post office from Australia.

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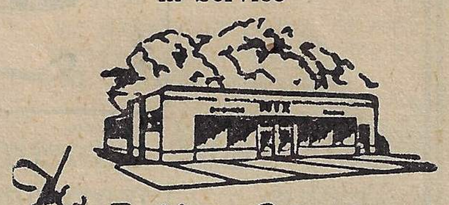
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TOWN OF LAC LA BICHE

Notice of Public Meeting

TAKE NOTICE that a PUBLIC MEETING will be held on WEDNESDAY, the 6th day of JUNE, at the hour of 8:00 p.m. at the MEMORIAL HALL in the Town of Lac la Biche, for the purpose of discussing the proposed ELECTRIC LIGHT AND POWER FRANCHISE AGREEMENT between the Town of Lac la Biche and Northland Utilities Limited.

Mr. Schlosser, president of Northland Utilities, will be on hand to speak on the subject and answer any questions that may be asked.

As a plebiscite of the PROPRIETARY ELECTORS will be held in the near future, it is important that they and other interested persons attend this meeting.

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Mission News From Lac La Biche

Alfred Tardif and family were at Lac la Biche Mission Sunday visiting relatives.

Andre Cloutier was here visiting his parents Sunday.

Emile Cloutier is working with his tractor helping Jack Robert seed his land.

Mrs. F. Boucher went to Lac la Biche to visit her son, Victor.

Mr. Camile LaVallie and his brothers were visiting their sister, Mrs. George Lacouceur, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Beaudoin and Mrs. A. Routhier went to Atmore Saturday. They were visiting their friends.

Paul Cloutier is working for Beaudry brothers at Atmore.

Emile Bourque is working for J. Williams at Gourin.

Mr. Jack Robert is sporting a 1951 car. Antoine Bouvier also bought a car.

Mrs. A. Routhier and family went to the Atmore show Thursday night.

Mrs. Alex Plamondon with her children, and Mrs. Claude Gauthier were visiting Mrs. J. L. Tardiff Sunday.

Mr. Germain Routhier was at the Mission on business Friday.

Red Cross Receives $170 At Grassland

GRASSLAND—The Red Cross drive resulted in the collection of about $170, besides membership fees.

Nomination day for election of a new Divisional Board has been set for June 18.

Early sown wheat is showing up well, but some land is still too wet for seeding operations.

Nick Derko arrived home Saturday night with a new Meteor car.

Mr. Hall, the school inspector, was at the school on Thursday.

EGG LAKE NEWS

Most farmers have finished seeding. There is enough moisture this year to bring a bumper crop.

Mr. Leon Duperron has rented his farm to Edmond Pare and has left for B.C. where he expects to work. His family will join him later.

Gerald Amiot and Denise L'Heureux will be married June 11 at Egg Lake and will have a dance at the Community hall in Lac la Biche.

Some gardens were frozen Sunday, May 27. The tomatoes and radishes were ruined.

Miss Delia Huppie has worked for a few days at Boudreau's at Atmore, but is back home now.

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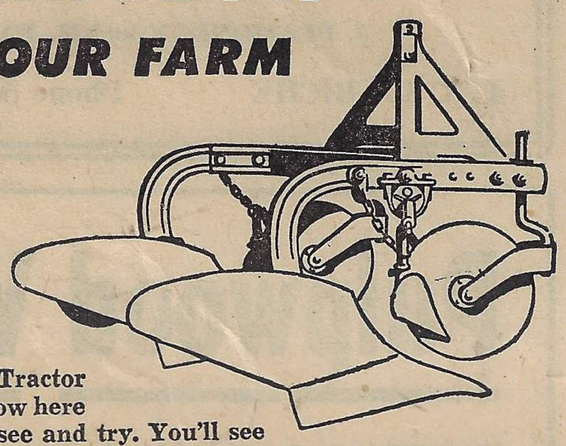
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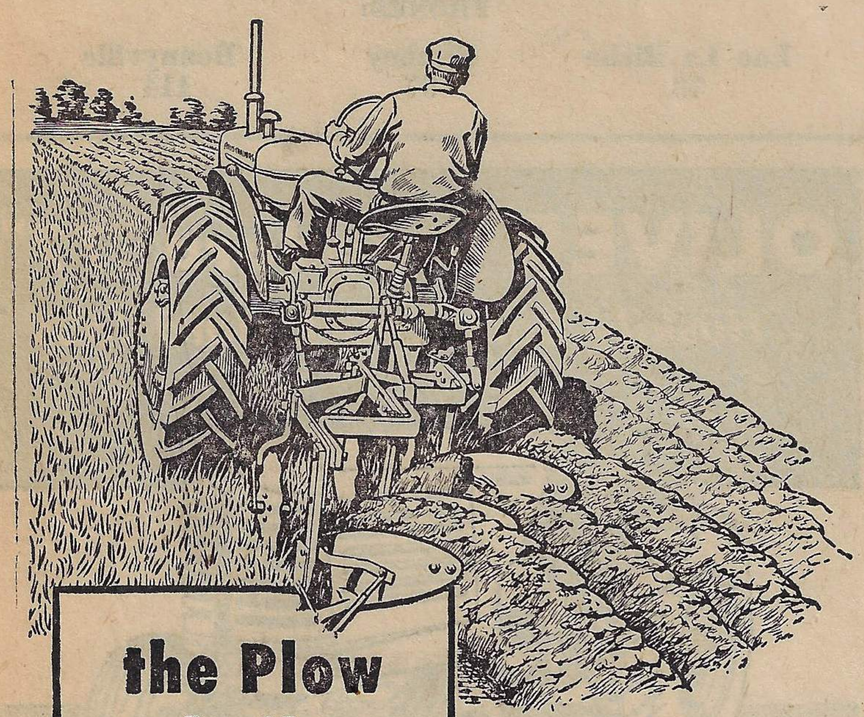
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BOYLE NEWS BRIEFS

Last Sunday afternoon the Boyle Oilers (Juveniles) and the Boyle Athletics (Seniors) played hardball and the Athletics lost with a score of 10 to 3 for the Oilers.

The local track meet was supposed to have been held May 18 but due to the rainy weather it was cancelled until Monday.

The Students' Union dance held in the high school last Friday was a success. Due to the rainy weather they didn't have a big crowd. Proceeds are to help out with the funds for the banquet which is in the community hall June1.

Room Four Wins Boyle Track Meet

BOYLE — The Boyle sub-local track meet was held May 18 in perfect weather. The track events took place during the morning and the various ball games during the afternoon.

Mrs. Hutzel's room (room 4) won the cup for the highest percentage.

Ellscott school was the only school other than Boyle in the meet.

The HSA operated a booth on the grounds during the day. Proceeds will pay for the graduation banquet.

ABEE NEWS BRIEFS

ABEE—Mr. and Mrs. Peter McLellan of Victoria, B.C., formerly long time residents of Abee, are visiting their friends.

Mr. John Haigg sold his half section of land to Steve Pekuka of Vilna, Mr. Haigg has moved to Abee.

Mrs. W. Prathee was in Edmonton last week to attend the wedding of her sister Miss Jessie Fulks to Robert Jefferies.

Mr. and Mrs. Funk of Yellowknife are visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Rockvesky.

Mrs. Nuttycombe is attending the graduation of her daughter Lorna at Red Deer on May 23.

Mrs. V. Bothemley is visiting her parents at Lethbridge.

The music class of Abee school division presented an operetta under the direction of Mrs. W. Pura. The performance was well attended and enjoyed by all. A dance followed and the music was supplied by the school orchestra.

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VILA NEWS NOTES

VILNA—In the absence of a graduate nurse at our local hospital, Mrs. Frobb has again doned a white uniform and is temporarily assisting the Sisters in the duties of nurse.

Approximately 40 students of the Vilna high school chartered the school bus and motored to Bellis to attend a divisional dance held there last Wednesday.

Miss Elsie Zaplitny is home again after attending college in Edmonton. Miss Helen Halownia is also back and hard at work.

Due to the terrific winds that prevailed in and around the village for a few days last week, there was a break in the power line and part of the village, one or two whole blocks, was in a black-out Friday night. M. Shapka and Walter Zaplitny fixed the line early Saturday morning.

A surprise shower party was held for Anne Hrasko and George Doshewnek Tuesday, May 22 at Bonnie Lake. The couple were presented with a number of pieces of revere-ware from the entire group.

BELLIS NEWS BRIEFS

The Cancer Campaign at Bellis under the supervision of the Ukrainian Women's Association brought returns of $104.96.

Monday, May 21 proved to be an important day for the Bellis Girls' Club when Miss E. Bartman, district home economist, was a guest at the regular club meeting. Miss Bartman's frequent visits have inspired the girls and left them with new ideas. June 6 is set aside for the club's Achievement Day with Miss E. Bartman and Miss K. O'Callaghan acting as judges.

Anne Hrasko Weds George Doskewnek

VILNA—A pretty wedding was solemnized in the Roman Catholic church on Saturday, May 26 at 11 a.m., when Anne, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. Hrasko, became the wife of George Doshewnek, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Doshewnek of Wasai, Alta. Father Warczuk officiated from an altar banked with spring flowers and green leaves.

Acting as matron of honor was her sister Angela, dressed in a floor length gown of buttercup yellow with a ribbon halo and long gloves to match. The four bridesmaids, Mary Moric, Helen Halownia, Ann Moric and Pearl Doshewnek, were dressed in floor length gowns in white, blue, pale yellow and mauve, with matching accessories.

The groom was attended by Mike Ostasuk as best man, and four ushers, John Zukowsky, Nick Taschuk, Bill Cherniwchan and Gasper Moric.

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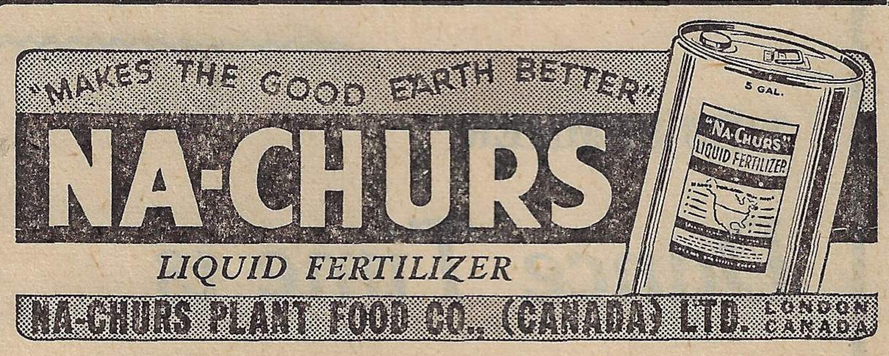
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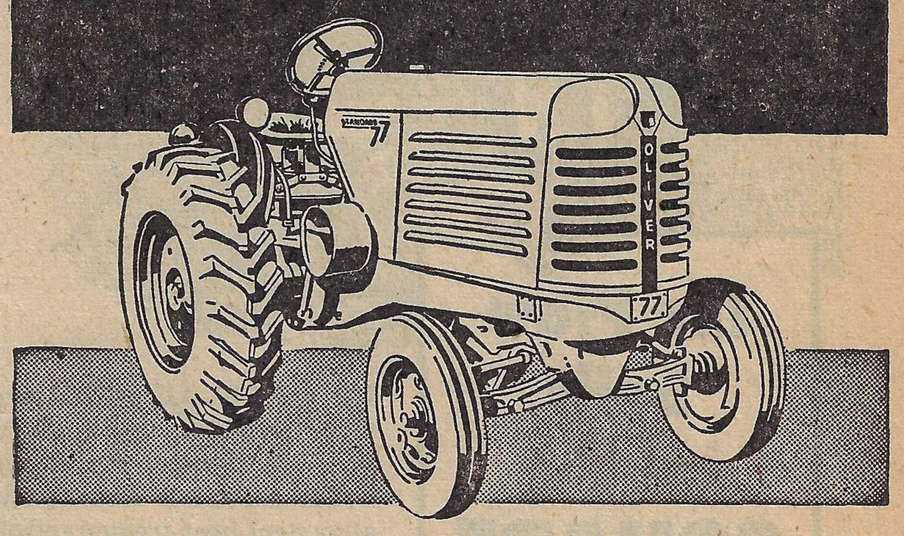
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Hospital News
Lac La Biche

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BIRTHS

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Price of Grandin, a son, May 30. To Mr. and Mrs. Nick Strayski of Wandering River, a daughter, May 30. To Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Lamarre of Lac la Biche, a daughter, May 30. To Mr. and Mrs. Albert Cadieux of Lac la Biche, a son, June 1.

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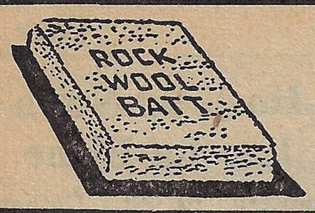
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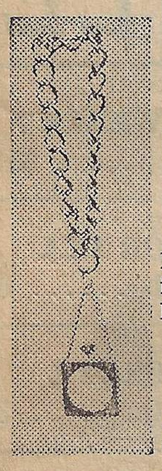
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LETTER TO LOUISA

Unhappy Home Life Is Problem of Alberta Girl

Dear Louisa—I am a girl who has a job but I have no satisfaction at home.

It is impossible to save money because there are so many in the house who need things and think I should lend my money to them.

My father loafs half of the time, although he is perfectly able to make a good living for the family and mother seems so discouraged that there is no pleasure in being home.

I have been going with a private in the army for several months. I am not crazy about him but I like him a lot and he wants to marry me.

Do you think it would solve my problem to marry him and get away from home with all its complications; BESS.

Answer:

I can understand how discouraged you get over your home sitauation and I know that just such circumstances as surround you are the cause of dozens of girls foolishly marrying the first boy who comes along and asks them only to find out that they are in a worse mess, then, than they were in before.

Marriage to a boy you know *nothing about and one who does* not make enough to support you is a bad enough risk, but when you admit that you are not in love with him, that is almost a certain reason for such a marriage to be a failure.

If things get too unbearable at home, the thing for you to do is to get a job away from your home town and live where you can have a certain degree of peace and happiness. Perhaps your father will shoulder his responsibility if you are not there to do it for him.

If he had been a loyal father to you and had worn himself out to give advantages and education, it would be your duty to stand by no matter how disagreeabe it seemed, but there is no sense in a girl giving up all the pleasure and fun of youth to support a good-for-nothing lazy father, or to take over his home burdens.

Don't make the horrible mistake of trying to escape from your situation by marriage. There is nothing more unbearable than a loveless marriage and if Mr. Right should come along after you have tied yourself up to the wrong man, your worries of today would seem as naught compared to what they would be then. Good Luck,

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EDITORIAL PAGE

A Half Century Of the Air Age

Flight of a lone pilot across Alberta last week enroute non-stop to New York from Norway via the north pole is something of a feat when we bear in mind that less than 50 years have elapsed since that eventful day at Kitty Hawk, North Carolina, when the Wright brothers made four successful flights in their bi-plane.

Accomplishments of aviation today may lead us to think a spectacular and revolutionary event has taken place. Actually, the growth of aviation has been slow and steady.

Alberta, we may add, has always been in the front ranks of aerial progress. Since the early days of the bush-pilots Alberta has been aviation conscious.

Fine civilian airports are maintained here today and some of the nation's biggest military airfields are in Alberta.

The record since 1903 reveals a slow and steady development. This will probably hold true for the future but none of us now living can accurately predict, or possibly imagine, what the next 50 years will bring in the development of aerial travel.

Farm Vote Important

The Calgary Albertan points out in an editorial that although half of the population of the Province resides on farms, only 12 of the 57 members of the Legislature are farmers. The disparity on the farmer representation is obvious to everyone.

Farmers, who comprise roughly 90 % of the population of the Grouard Constituency, have an opportunity to right this situation insofar as they are concerned. One of the three candidates, a Liberal, is a farmer of the district. His two opponents, a Social Crediter and a CCF candidate are not farmers.

As the Albertan points out, the farmers of Alberta are fully competent and rural Alberta has more than its fair share of brains and good sense. It is to be hoped that in the forthcoming by-election Grouard voters will send the only possible farmer representative, Liberal candidate J. R. Desfosses, to the Legislature.

Seeding Crops

There are four essentials in obtaining a good stand of forage crops—good seed, moist soil, a firm seed bed, and shallow seeding—says J. E. Birdsall, Alberta supervisor of crop improvement. With moisture in most parts of Alberta in good supply, this appears to be a particularly good year to plant forage crops.

Mr. Birdsall says that where land is in good tilth and favorably located for moisture supplies, it may be cultivated this spring and then seeded to forage early in June, along with a nurse crop of grain.

In the dry areas, very early seeding in summerfallow is the recommended practice, and a nurse crop should not be used since all the moisture is needed for the forage.

Note and Comment

There is no business anywhere that cannot be improved by attention and hard work.

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Then there is the man whose memory was so bad that he could not remember his memory system.

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Most of the smart sayings that you read are partially true.

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Religion involves a willingness to give other people a square deal.

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If everybody thought alike this would be a stagnant world.

The Bible Says:

"O praise the Lord, all ye nations: praise him, all ye people."—Psalms 117:1.

How Fast Is An Escalator?

Moving stairways in New York City (a good place to investigate them) are limited by law to the speed of 125 feet a minute, The Magazine of Building reports. That's a seeming snail's pace of about a mile and a half an hour. In the London subways at rush hour they hit two miles an hour, and that speed may become general in this country. Department store escalators are often made to move more slowly, say 90 feet a minute. That's to give the shopper time enough to develop the buying urge.

But don't despise the moving stairway as a slow-poke. An escalator less than a yard wide and moving at 125 f.p.m. can carry 580 people in five minutes—a job that it would take thirteen 2,500-pound capacity elevators to equal. As a result, moving stairways may more and more replace elevators in medium-height buildings.

U.S. Army's New and Secret Tank

By E. H. SIMS

Very probably the biggest question in most American minds, about the quality of U.S. military equipment, has centred around tanks. In Korea, last summer, the Army was suddenly asked to fight a war, and it threw its only tanks nearby into the fight. They were training tanks, used for that purpose, in Japan. They were known as Chaffees.

Naturally they did not stack up well with Russian-made T-34 tanks. However, the new medium tank, the Patton, has done a good job in Korea, and the Army thinks it is more than a match for the T-34. In one battle 16 Pattons knocked out 16 T-34s, without the loss of a single tank. The Patton is an improvement over the World War II medium, the Pershing.

The new light tank to replace the Chaffee will contain more radical improvements than the Patton. The first ones will come off the production lines this spring. In the heavy tank field, the Army is not trying to build a big tank, but to build a tank capable of carrying a gun big enough to do its job, while maintaining mobility. Even the heavies are to be able to cross bridges a division can build. These tanks will begin coming off production lines some months after the new light tank.

Perhaps the new light tank is the apple of the Army's eye. It is a military secret, but should carry surprisingly potent fire-power on a light, maneuverable chassis. Many believe it will be a match for enemy mediums.

The big criticism of the Army in the past is that it has always had the best tanks in the world, on the drawing board, and the worst on the battlefield. Under-Secretary of the Army Alexander said this month we will get into new tank production on a good scale in nine months. These tanks will be the best in the world, he stated.

Alexander also said that the construction of high and low silhouettes was demonstrative of democracies and dictatorships. Russia's low tank is hard on even small men, and a death trap for the entire crew, he said. While Alexander may have a good point there, critics have voiced a belief something could be designed to meet both safety and difficult target demands.

The T-34, which our Pattons seemed to have mastered, is not the newest or best Russian tank. All we citizens can do is hope that the Army is right this time, that we are building the world's best tanks. There is confidence in that belief at the Pentagon.

Bible Doesn't Support Flat-Earth Theory

Contrary to popular but uninformed belief, the Bible does not support the view that the world is flat, Carl S. Wise points out in Science.

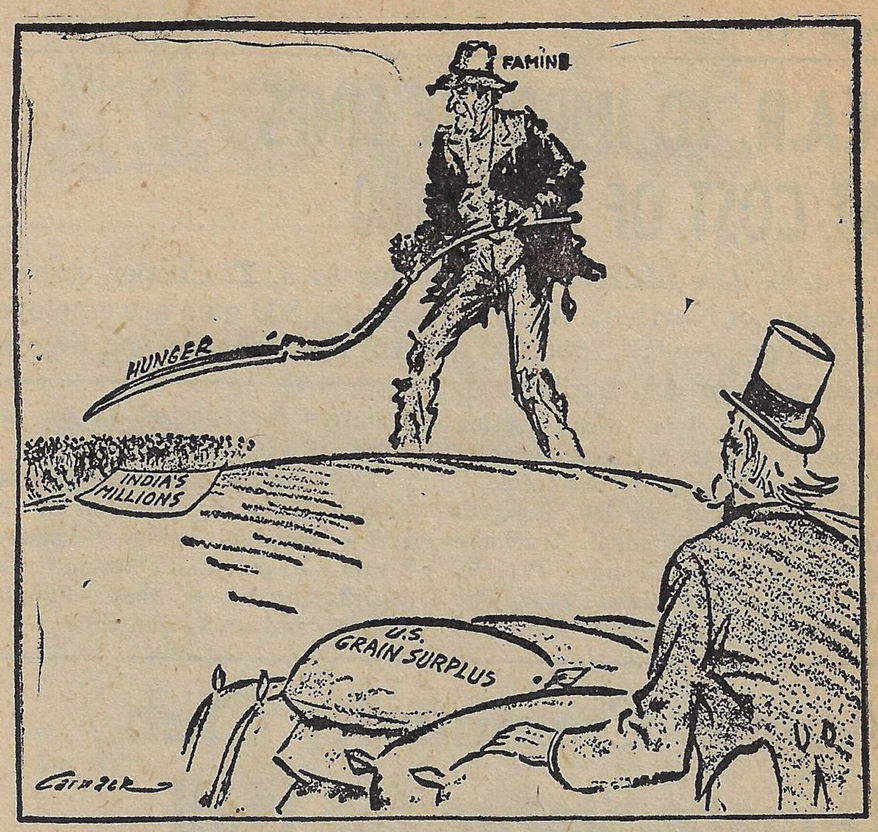
The Bible, however, he says, does have "a number of passages concerning the shapes and conditions of the world, past, present, and future. To name but a few, giving scriptural texts:

"1. At one time . . . the earth had no definite shape at all, either flat or round (Gen. 1: 2—And the earth was without form and void. . . .)

"2. The earth is suspended in an etheral vacuum and is part of a universe of immeasurable size. Furthermore, any attempt to detect the presence of a supporting medium, such as the Michelson-Morley ether-drift experiment, will give a pull answer (Job 26: 7—He stretcheth out the north over the empty place, and hangeth the earth upon nothing; Jer. 31: 37—Thus saith the Lord; if heaven above can be measured, and the foundations of the earth searched out beneath, I will cast off all the seed of Israel for all they have done, saith the Lord).

"3. A particularly striking picture is given by Job concerning the rotation of the earth. To understand it, one must be aware of the type of seals used by ancient peoples such as Babylonians, Phoenicians, etc. These seals, perforated longitudinally and rotating upon a tiny axle of some hard material, were pressed against the face of the damp clay and rotated. As the seal was turned in the clay, it left its inscription. In like manner our earth is journeying on her annual arbital revolution. At the same time the planet is spinning on its axis, turning in the face of the sun like the seal in the face of the clay (Job 38: 14—It is turned as clay to the seal; . . . .).

"4. The earth is round, not flat (Isaiah 40: 22—It is he that sitteth upon the circle of the earth, . . . Note: The world "circle" is a translation of a Hebrew word that literally means 'roundness.')"



A new famine in India is the world's largest trouble spot. India has turned down an outright gift of low-grade Canadian wheat in hopes of getting better grade grain from U.S. surpluses.

Voice of the People

"VOX POPULI, VOX DEI"

HOLLYWOOD CAPERS

Dear Sir—So another much-publicized Hollywood marriage is breaking up. Tell me: why don't these people quit calling them marriage ties and admit their vows are wedding lies? Or do they just crave publicity?
Legal, Alta. SINCERE BRIDE.

GOV'T CONTROL

Dear Sir—Farmers of Alberta have lost all say in the sale of their wheat, oats and barley, and now the AFA has petitioned the Manning government to bureaucratize all eggs and poultry, to be followed later by control of all livestock sales and every type of farm produce. We are to be subjugated and stagnated by the nazi-fascist-communist ideology. By the cost of living index, our dollar is now worth only 50 cents. And by our apathy, its going up and up and up!
TOM POULSOM
Rochfort Bridge.

FROM CALIFORNIA

Dear Sir—I occasionally have an opportunity to read your paper and I noticed the letter about Maricle A Traitor in a recent issue. It is interesting to note that some Canadians are awake. Congratulations to the preson who wrote that letter. Keep up the good work. They cannot stand that for long. We have some here in the U.S. who have travelled farther than Warsaw and accomplished less.
Los Angeles, Calif. C. A. OLSEN.

DEFENDS US

Dear Sir—In reply to "Citizen" from Jasper Place who wrote such a childish letter, I notice you referred to the editor of this paper and his writers as "rotton trashy punks."

Now just exactly what does that make you? Your mind must be warped because only a trashy punk would write and think like you. We wonder if you stopped to think before you sent the letter. What would be the opinions of your neighbors and family of you, and as for respect, did you ever have any,even for yourself? Certainly no one else has any for you. A person like you is completely in the shade. In the future try to cultivate your mind and do unto others, as you would like done unto you. CANADIAN CITIZEN.
Alcomdale.

STOLEN LANDS

Dear Sir—I read a sarcastic article in an American paper asking when the British would give up Hong Kong and Singapore. I say this will happen the same time the U.S. gives up Puerto Rico, Formosa, Hawaii, the Phillipines, California, Texas, and all the rest of the possessions they stole from other nations. God Save the King!
Killam LOYALIST.

READING MATTER CRAVED

Dear Sir—Here in Korea reading matter is at a premium. We're busy fighting most of the time but we sometimes have vacant hours which would be much more enjoyable if we had access to books or enjoyable papers like yours which gives us features and current news in compact form. When writing to the boys over here, folks, include some good reading matter if you possibly can. PRINCESS PAT
Korea.

"YOU'RE TOO OLD"

Dear Sir—What's the matter with employers who don't want to give a man a job because he's over 45? Don't they realize that although we may not have the strength of youth we've got the experience and sense that allows us to do a better job than the young folks. I've been looking for six weeks and all I ever hear is that "you're too old" refrain.
Edmonton JOBLESS.

ARE POLITICS IN COUNCIL?

Dear Sir—Jasper Place is having a lot of trouble getting and keeping police. Seems the personal likes and dislikes of the council have a way of causing trouble. I suggest we hire a police chief, experienced and with investigated references give him all the help he needs and as long as he keeps to the rules as all good policemen should let him get on with it. Let us keep politics out of our Jasper Place Police Force.
Jasper Place. RESIDENT.

CRUELTY TO CHILDREN

Dear Sir—While in Edmonton shopping, I noticed a young mother, take hold of her child, in a store and whip him as though she was insane. Surely she must have realized that people watching her, felt like turning her over their knee. Is it any wonder we have trouble with our children, when you see so called parents display bad temper in public places? What sort of a life must this child lead at home?
Mannville. MOTHER OF TWO.

SHOPPING AT HOME

Dear Sir—Why do people from small towns run to the city to do their shopping? I'm not a business person—but if I were I certainly would try and close shop and move to the city. We as residents of small communities should support our local merchants first. He has invested money in our town and needs our help. We wouldn't have a town if all the business people closed up. Let's remember this and spend our dollars at home whenever possible.
HOME TOWN SHOPPER.
Morinville.

N.A.R. TO IMPROVE LINES AT COST OF $2,000,000

LAC LA BICHE. — According to J. F. Cooper, general manager of Northern Alberta Railways, 800 men are employed in the company's $2,000,000 general maintenance and line improvement program this year.

The company's own section crews as well as a strong force of extra gangs comprise the total.

Business and service demands necessitated additional trackage at McLennan, Grande Prairie, Peace River and Hines Creek. The program is now in full swing and progress is reported in all sectors.

The current season's program also includes construction of two large wooden bridges between Grande Prairie and Dawson Creek, and laying more than 325,000 treated and untreated ties.

Avenir Community Club Donate Statue for Hall

AVENIR — Avenir Community Club members have donated a statue of the Immaculate Conception and placed it in the hall. The hall was used as a chapel during May, and a good attendance was had every night.

Laurence Plamondon has returned from Chisholm.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Perner are in Avenir after spending the winterter in Kimberly, B.C.

Mr. and Mrs. Ted St. Jean announce the birth of a son, Gerald, April 16.

Mr. and Mrs. John St. Jean accompanied by their daughter, Larraine, went to Edmonton to attend Yvette's wedding. Mrs. St. Jean stayed in Edmonton for medical treatment.

The post office has now been transferred from Ted St. Jean's to Daniel's residence.

Farmers have been busy putting the last of their grain in the ground.

The Avenir Community Club members donated a few days of their time to improve our roads. They have drained some spots and filled in bad holes.

Father Dubuc will say mass here sometime this month.

Miss Armanda L'heureux and Aurel Plamondon are engaged to be married. The wedding date will be announced later.

JEFFREY NEWS NOTES

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Jones are back on their farm after spending the winter in England.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Moffat announce the birth of a son at Westlock hospital May 21, 1951.

Mrs. Jones is expecting several relatives from England in the near future.

Marcel and Roger Patry are busy working the farm formerly owned by Mr. Brandl. Mr. and Mrs. Bandl and family have moved to the Clyde district.

Mr. Wallace McDonald finished seeding May 26 the first to do so in the district.

PLAMONDON NEWS

Visiting Grassland were Mrs. Esdras and Felix Bilanger.

In Edmonton during the week were Mrs. Donald Plamondon and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Clendenning.

Mr. Germain Labonte also made a business trip to Edmonton.

Mr. and Mrs. Armand Bouvier visited their son Domase at Elk Point.

Mr. McElwain has been in Plamondon taking new subscribers and renewing the old subscribers.

Mr. Harold Borgen and Joe Ann Johnson returned from Edmonton Sunday as Mr. and Mrs. Borgen.

Mrs. Jack Clendenning and Mrs. Donald Plamondon left for Edmonton Friday for a business trip.

The men's softball team were invited for a game in Wandering River Sunday, May 27. They took the victory over Wandering 8-2.

Gibby Gudmensun returned home from Bonnyville.

The girls' softball team won first prize in Lac la Biche May 24 when they defeated Lac la Biche 11-9.

Boyle Lions Receive Charter

BOYLE—The Boyle Lions were presented with their charter at the Charter Night, May 14. Three guest speakers from Edmonton, among them the Rev. W. W. Baxton, were present at the banquet. A number of Lions from Thorhild, Radway, Smoky Lake and Lac la Biche were also in attendance.

Musical entertainment was provided at intervals throughout the evening and a dance was held later.

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(Commanding Officer, Lac la Biche Sea Cadet Corps)

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